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WHY I FIND PLEASURE IN WORKING FOR THE S. S. KRESGE CO.

Since this store opened its doors for business on Sept. 14th, 1916, I will venture to say that none of its employees have received more enjoyment from their work here, or have taken more interest in the success of 153, than has the writer.

Your work may be a source of pleasure to you or it may be a drudge. It is just what you make it. But when working for The S. S. Kresge Co. you can not help but take pleasure in your work; for you will find existing here a spirit of helpfulness, friendliness and fairness which is productive of good cheer, thus tending to make life pleasant for all. In fact, with a Manager, such as our Mr. Mesner, who exerts every effort in the interest of his workers and who possesses a spirit of fairness and helpfulness not found in many Manager's and with our efficient and ever willing floor men, Mr. Collins and Mr. Finnesey, we feel sure that conditions and surroundings are such that each girl should consider it a privilege and an honor to be associated with this Company. We also must not forget our trustworthy stockman, Fellie Jordan, who we will all agree, "can't be beat". Fellie will always be remembered by the Kresge girls as one who stands for courtesy, kindness and cheerfulness.

Now girls, with opportunities such as we possess here at 153, let each one exert every effort to make the coming weeks and months banner weeks and months in every Department, thus showing our appreciation and loyalty to our Manager and the Company.

Mrs. Kingman.

A preacher came along the street. It was very evident that he was a stranger in town, for he walked up to some boys that were playing and said to one of them, "Little Boy" can you tell me where I can find the post office?" The boy said "Just keep right on up the street about two blocks and the preacher said "Boys, don't you know that it isn't right to play marbles in the street this way, come with me and I will show you the way to heaven". One of the boys said, "Oh, come off, you don't even know the way to the post office".

Every time I look towards the Music Roll Department, I think of that grand old hymn of the Rev. Billy Sunday's "Brighten the Corner Where you Are." Miss Martha Pfeifer sure does brighten up that corner. Her pleasant smile and unlimited supply of good nature make her a welcome addition to our happy store family. As the Music Roll business is increasing it proves that a pleasant smile is an asset.

"Don't you know", said the successful merchant pompously,
"that I began life as a barefoot boy"?
"Well" said the clerk, "I wasn't born with shoes on, either".

Mr. Finnesey. "Why did you put your girl's picture in your watch?
Mr. Collins. "Because I think she will love me in time".